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Democratic - Northwest.

AND HENRY COUNTY NEWS.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF CITY AND CO

NAPOLEON, OHIO, AUGUST 9, 1894.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Circuit Judge—3rd Circuit District,

CALEB H. MORRIS.

For Congress—5th District,

JOHN S. SNOOK.

DELEGATES TO

County Convention.

The Democrats of Henry county are hereby

requested to meet in their respective

voting precincts on

Saturday, August 18th, 1894,

at 10 o'clock p. m., standard time, as is

designated in the annexed list, the basis being

one delegate for every 100 votes cast for

President Cleveland, at the November election,

1892, and one delegate for every

fraction of 5 and over, as follows:

	VOTES.	DELS.
Barlow	295	30
Damascus	218	22
Flintrock	243	24
Freedom	170	17
Harrison	145	15
Liberty	138	14
Liberty-West	114	11
Marion-North	176	18
Marion-South	110	11
Monroe	293	30
Napoleon	672	67
Pleasant-Holgate	193	19
Pleasant-N. B.	230	23
Richfield	145	15
Ridgeville	114	11
Washington	136	14
Total	3312	332

The business of the convention will be to

select candidates for the following offices,

to be voted on at the November election of

1894, to-wit:

Sheriff.

Prosecuting Attorney,

Commissioner,

Infirmary Director,

Coroner.

By order of the County Central Com.

CHAS. EYERS, Chairman.

Democratic Caucuses.

Flatrock Township.

The Democrats of Flatrock township

are requested to meet in caucus,

in Florida, on

Saturday, August 18th, 1894

at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of

selecting delegates to the County Con-

vention.

By order of THE COMMITTEE.

Richfield Township.

The Democrats of Richfield town-

ship are requested to meet in caucus,

at West Hope, on

Saturday, Aug. 18, 1894

at 3 o'clock p. m., to select delegates

to the county convention.

By order of Tr. Com.

The principal agricultural product

of Germany is potatoes; the second

hay the third is beets.

THE so-called Hawaiian Republic is

built on a new form. The laws are so

fixed that the people are shut out from

participation in elections. It is a

great Republic.

THE hot winds have again destroyed

crops in large parts of Kansas and

Nebraska and report comes that there

is another great exodus of people,

who are leaving their farms and vil-

lage houses for the east, to avoid sta-

tion.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name

of THOS. J. BURNS, of Napoleon township,

as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the

decision of the Democratic County Convention

to be held Sept. 1st, 1894.

HAMMOND, O., July 17, 1894.

Ed. Northwest.—You are authorized to

announce my name as a candidate for

Sheriff, subject to the decision of the

Democratic County Convention, to be

held Sept. 1st, 1894.

O. F. WICKENHISER.

We are authorized to announce the name

of Wm. B. SHOWMAN, of Harrison town-

ship, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to

the decision of the Democratic County

Convention to be held on Sept. 1st, 1894.

Ed. Northwest.—You will please an-

ounce the name of the undersigned as a

candidate for Sheriff, subject to the

decision of the Democratic County

Convention to be held on Sept. 1st, 1894.

M. H. DARBY.

We are authorized to announce the name

of C. H. DONOVAN, of Bartow town-

ship, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to

the decision of the Democratic County

Convention to be held on Sept. 1st, 1894.

LEVI KING.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce the name

of MARTIN KNEPP, of Napoleon town-

ship, as a candidate for Prosecuting At-

torney, subject to the decision of the

Democratic County Convention to be held

on Sept. 1st, 1894.

We are authorized to announce the name

of F. M. EMMETT, of Napoleon town-

ship, as a candidate for Prosecuting At-

torney, subject to the decision of the

Democratic County Convention, to be held

on Sept. 1st, 1894.

LEVI KING.

COMMISSIONER.

Ed. Northwest.—Please announce that

my name will be presented to the

Democratic County Convention, to be held

on Sept. 1st, 1894, as a candidate for re-

nominating for County Commissioner, and

subject to its decision.

LEVI KING.

INFIRMARY DIRECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name

of H. C. WESTINGHOUSE, of Flatrock

township, as a candidate for re-nomin-

ating for Infirmary Director, subject to the

decision of the Democratic County

Convention to be held on the 1st day of

September, 1894.

LEVI KING.

THE office of the Standard at Celina

was entirely consumed by fire last

week. The loss was \$9,000, with an

insurance of less than one-third the

loss. It was a severe loss to Bro.

Snyder, but his friends came to the

rescue and the old Standard was

issued as usual, as it has been for the

past 42 years.

HAMMONDSVILLE claims the oldest

postmaster in Ohio. W. H. Wallace,

who has been handling the mails there

for sixty-four years, has served under

thirty postmaster generals. When

he first took office it required twenty-

five cents to send a letter of one sheet

400 miles. He would take two bushels

of oats or five dozen eggs in line of

cash too.

BRO. RUSSELL of the Signal filled

the office of county auditor for three

years, yet he failed to do the very

thing which he is now accusing his

successor of not doing—i. e. with-

holding money from the townships on

old road improvements. The same

laws were in force when he was

auditor as are in force to-day in Mr.

Resh's time. This being the case,

why did he not comply with the law

and do these things? For instance, if

the county owed the townships any-

thing, why did he not have the

amounts certified back into the prop-

erty treasuries? Echo answers, why?

Bro. Russell is making frantic efforts

to prejudice the people against the

present county auditor and board of

county commissioners, regardless of

truth and good common sense, but so

far little attention is given him, which

fact hurts him and he is simply losing

his head. He is aware that the Com-

missioners and Auditor are trying

hard to right, and are righting, many

of his mistakes, shortcomings and

irregularities while he filled the

auditor's office. The people are with

these officials and against the ex-au-

ditor, and they are not to be diverted

by the windy rantings of Bro. Russell.

THE Russian Thistle.

A gentleman who claims to have

known the kind of weed referred to

by the NORTHWEST as a Russian

thistle, for many years, declares it is

not the Russian thistle at all. He says

that the same weed has been in Henry

county for years and that the pub-

lication that we have the Russian

thistle, besides unnecessarily alarm-

ing citizens, will likely prove a great

damage to our county unless its in-

fluence can be counteracted by giving

the real truth to the public.—Signal.

There, there, Bro., keep your shirt

on; the NORTHWEST scooped you on

the thistle business, and that's what

worries you. But the gentleman re-

ferred to by the Signal don't know

what he is talking about when he

says the Russian thistle is not here

in all its glory. It is here, and has

been here for a long time, but the

time has come to eradicate it, even if

the citizens have to be "alarmed." To

alleviate this "alarm" the Signal

might have given the "truth" had it

known other than what the NORTH-

WEST had given on the subject. But

it did not know and it simply played

the hypocrite. To give our readers an

idea what the Russian thistle is we

will try and describe it. It is some-

times called the prickly lettuce, in

fact it has a half-dozen names. It

looks like a stock of domestic lettuce

that has gone to seed, and the leaves

have saw-toothed edges, which, when

broken off, bleed a milk-colored fluid

exactly like milk weed. On the top

is a bunch of seeds which, when ripe,

take on a fuzzy growth, like the seed

of the Canadian thistle, only much

smaller and these blow about to

propagate more dominion. The seed

is blown up in the air and carried

along great distances. It flowers in

July and produces a multitude of

seeds, and in a very short time it

will cover the ground in such a man-

ner that stock cannot live on what is

left. It is said the plant is not hard to

kill if taken in time, but its producing

quality and spreading nature are its

worst features. There is no need of

being "alarmed" over the weed, but

wherever it is seen, destroy it.

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